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Group Art Unit: 2626

Title: Photosensor Assembly With Shared Structures

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) 37 CFR 1.114**

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. 132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under CFR 1.114 of the above-identified application.

*NOTE: 37 CFR 1.114 is effective on May 20, 2000. If the above- application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under CFR 1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.*

**Submission under 37 CFR 1.114**

( ) Previously submitted:  
( ) Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).

( ) Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.  
( ) Other \_\_\_\_\_.

(X) Enclosed:  
( ) Amendment/Reply  
( ) Affidavit(s)/Declarations(s)  
(X) Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
(~~X~~) Other Remarks In Conjunction With RCE \_\_\_\_\_.

**Miscellaneous**

( ) Suspension of action is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months.  
The fee for this Suspension is (37 CFR 1.17(i)) \$130.00  
( ) Other \_\_\_\_\_.

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RCE filing fee \$790.00

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**REMARKS IN CONJUNCTION WITH RCE**

Sir:

In analysis of the file for paying the issue fee in the parent application, there is no indication that an IDS filed with the application has been considered by the examiner. In addition, some art cited in foreign counterpart applications has not been previously cited by the applicant in this US application. This RCE is for the purpose of ensuring that all art is cited and considered.

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